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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket No. 003924.P001DC

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First Named Inventor Prem UppaluruTitle: POINT-OF-PRESENCE CALL CENTER MANAGEMENT SYSTEMExpress Mail Label No. EL672751456US

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ **Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)**
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ **Applicant Claims Small Entity Status. (37 CFR 1.27)**
3. ☒ **Specification (Total Pages 39)**
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive Title of the Invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ **Drawings(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets 7)**
5. ☒ **Oath or Declaration (Total Pages 4)**
 - a. ☐ Newly Executed (Original or Copy)
 - b. ☒ Copy from a Prior Application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for Continuation/Divisional with Box 17 completed)
 - i. ☐ DELETIONS OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
 - c. ☐ Unsigned.
6. ☐ **Application Data Sheet. (37 CFR 1.76)**
7. ☐ **CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)**
8. ☐ **Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission**
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 - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
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 - ii. ☐ paper
 - c. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents(s))
10. ☐ a. Separate 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (where there is an assignee)
10. ☒ b. Power of Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ a. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
12. ☐ b. Copies of IDS Citations
13. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☐ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☐ Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i). **Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.**
17. ☒ Other: Copy of Postcard with Express Mail Certificate of Mailing

18A. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

☒ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)
Of Prior Application No.: 09/433,640 Examiner Hoosain, A. Group Art Unit 2645

Applicant(s): Also include a Preliminary Amendment to amend the specification to claim priority.
For CONTINUATION AND DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

18B. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) for continuing application:

The undersigned states that Telera (name of assignee) is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the accompanying patent application by virtue of an assignment recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel No. 011627 Frame No. 0030 (or a copy of which is attached).

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☒ X Check☐ Money Order☐ Other**FEE CALCULATION****1. BASIC FILING FEE**

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Code	Fee (\$)	Code	Fee (\$)		
101	740	201	370	Utility application filing fee	<u>740.00</u>
106	330	206	165	Design application filing fee	_____
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	_____
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee	_____
114	160	214	80	Provisional application filing fee	_____

SUBTOTAL (1) \$ 740.00**2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES**

		Extra Claims		Fee from below		Fee Paid	
Total Claims	<u>20</u>	- 20** =	<u>0</u>	X	<u>18.00</u>	=	_____
Independent Claims	<u>2</u>	- 3** =	<u>0</u>	X	<u>84.00</u>	=	_____
Multiple Dependent						=	_____

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Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Code	Fee (\$)	Code	Fee (\$)	
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	84	209	42	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) \$ 0

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

<u>Large Entity</u>		<u>Small Entity</u>		<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Fee Paid</u>
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105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	_____
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	_____
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	_____
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex-parte reexamination	_____
099	8,800	099	8,800	Request for inter partes reexamination	_____
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	_____
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	_____
115	110	215	55	Extension for response within first month	_____
116	400	216	200	Extension for response within second month	_____
117	920	217	460	Extension for response within third month	_____
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for response within fourth month	_____
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for response within fifth month	_____
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	_____
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	_____
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	_____
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	_____
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive unavoidably abandoned application or unavoidably delayed payment of issue fee	_____
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive unintentionally abandoned application or unintentionally delayed payment of issue fee	_____
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	_____
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	_____
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee	_____
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	_____
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	_____
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	_____
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	_____
146	740	246	370	For filing a submission after final rejection (see 37 CFR 1.129(a))	_____
149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (see 37 CFR 1.129(b))	_____
179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	_____
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	_____
Other fee (specify) _____					_____
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT FOR CONTINUING APPLICATION
(CONTINUATION, DIVISIONAL, OR CONTINUATION-IN-PART)

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Title POINT-OF -PRESENCE CALL CENTER MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Attorney Docket No. 3924P001DC

Parent Application:

First Named Inventor Prem Uppaluru

Title POINT-OF -PRESENCE CALL CENTER MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Application No. 09/433,640

Examiner: Hoosain, A.

Filing Date November 3, 1999

Group Art Unit: 2645

Applicant(s): If the present patent application is a Continuation, Divisional, or Continuation-In-Part application under 37 CFR § 53(b) of a parent application, then submit this Preliminary Amendment to the PTO. Please insert the appropriate claim for priority, listing the entire chain of priority.

To: Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please enter the following preliminary amendment for the present patent application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

At page 1, paragraph 0001, please replace the current paragraph with the following:

-- The present patent application is a

X Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP)

of prior application no. 09/433,640, filed November 3, 1999, entitled POINT-OF-PRESENCE CALL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

which is a continuation/ X divisional/ CIP of prior application no. 09/249,395 filed 2/12/99, now U.S. Patent 6,011,844 issued 1/4/00 which claims priority to Provisional Application No. 60/090,091 filed 6/19/98.

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